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SUBJECT: COMMUNIST LABOR INITIATIVES: MEDITERRANEAN

1. A MEDITERRANEAN-AREA MEETING OF METAL WORKER UNIONS
IS SCHEDULED FOR ROME FEBRUARY 20 TO 22, LABOR OFFICIALS
HERE REPORT.

2. THE MEETING IS BEING CALLED BY A GROUP OF UNIONS FROM
YUGOSLAVIA, EGYPT, ALGERIA, FRANCE (CGT AND CFDT), AND
ITALY (CGIL, CISL, AND UIL) TO DISCUSS THE PROBLEMS OF
MIGRANT WORKERS. NOTABLY ABSENT FROM LIST OF UNIONS
INVITED ARE ISRAEL'S HISTADRUT AND TUNISIA'S UGTT. THE
SPANISH UGT HAS DECLINED AN INVITATION TO ATTEND, ACCORDING
TO INFORMATION AVAILABLE HERE.

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3. THE WORLD FEDERATION OF TRADE UNIONS (WFTU)
WILL BE REPRESENTED AT THE MEETING, HISTADRUT AND ICFTU
SOURCES SAY. IN THEIR VIEW, THE MEETING FITS INTO
THE WFTU STRATEGY OF CHIPPING AWAY AT THE UNITY OF
NON-COMMUNIST INTERNATIONAL LABOR STRUCTURES.

4. WE UNDERSTAND THAT THE EUROPEAN METALWORKERS
FEDERATION (EMF) HEADQUARTERS HERE DECLINED A
BELATED INVITATION TO ATTEND, WITHOUT TAKING ANY POSITION
ABOUT THE PARTICIPATION OF ITS AFFILIATES, BUT WE HAVE
BEEN UNABLE TO CONFIRM THIS WITH GUNTER KOPKE, EMF
GENERAL SECRETARY, WHO IS AWAY ON LEAVE.MORRIS

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